

## NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Second Production of "Mrs. Wiggs" Made Big Hit Last Night.

### HAVE SEVERAL OFFERS

Mrs. Crostie Died in Swansboro. Y. M. C. A. to Have Meeting To-Morrow.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

Before a most representative audience, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" was presented last night for the second time, and the production went off without a hitch. Better order was maintained in the hall, and the players were much more at ease and brought out the striking points of their lines to greater advantage.

One of the most pleasing features of the play was the fact that none of the characters missed a line, this being something out of the ordinary for amateurs. All played their parts most admirably. "Asia," Miss Rachel Snellings, was faultless, as was "Australia" and "Europa," Miss Cleve Gary and Miss Fitzgerald, respectively.

Miss Esther Strader and Mr. Cowardin acquitted themselves in a most excellent manner. They had the romantic roles of "Miss Lucy" and "Mr. Bob." Their work in the third act was greatly enjoyed by the audience. "Billie Wiggs," played by George Paul, was well done. He was original, and brought forth many laughs from the audience. All the other characters were good.

The company should feel much complimented since they have already been a number of persons after the production. On yesterday a letter was received from the Young Men's Christian Association, asking that the play be put on there. It is altogether probable that the company will go there some time. Several institutions in Richmond have also been after the piece. One organization wanted it presented at Church Hill, and the other in Belvidere Hall.

The Earnest Workers, of the Presbyterian Church, made a handsome sum out of the two performances.

### Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Rev. J. W. Porter, of Newport News, who has been conducting the revival at Bainbridge Street Baptist Church, will tomorrow afternoon hold a meeting for men at Leader Hall, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. He will speak for the subject "The Sin That Kills." An excellent musical program will be rendered.

### Mrs. Crostie Dead.

Mrs. Julia Crostie, wife of Mr. W. C. Crostie, died yesterday morning at her home in Swansboro. She leaves her husband and two brothers, Messrs. Ben and Woodson Bass. She is also survived by her father, Mr. J. A. Bass, of Swansboro. The funeral of George W. Baugh, who died in his home, 910 Mary Street, took place from Stockton Street Church yesterday at 4 o'clock. The Rev. J. O. Sullivan, pastor, officiated. The casket was borne by Messrs. L. M. Robertson, C. P. Walther, W. Fosse, David Brooks, Alonzo Garber, and Lee Clary. Mr. Baugh was over 60 years of age and is survived by a widow and one sister.

### Mr. Thraves for House.

Mr. W. V. Thraves, of Powhatan, was in the city yesterday, and announced his candidacy for the Legislature at the coming election. He will oppose Mr. Willis C. Pulliam, the incumbent. Mr. Thraves is a prosperous farmer and lawyer, and has a strong following in Manchester and Chesterfield as well as in Powhatan county.

He was for some time instructor at the Richmond Normal. The fight promises to be a warm one, as both the young men are exceedingly popular.

### Services in Churches.

In Central Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. J. J. Jeffers, will preach at both services. His morning subject will be "Conditions of a Successful Revival." In the evening he will have for his theme "The Valley of Achor, a Door of Hope." The choir will repeat the Easter music, and will be assisted by Richmond talent.

Regular services will be held in Oak Grove Baptist Church to-morrow, and the pastor, Rev. J. O. Sullivan, will preach in the morning. The opportunity and Opposition. His evening subject will be "Whose Fault?"

### Elks' Team.

The Manchester Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, has organized a ball team, and Samuel Patterson has been elected captain. He has given out the line-up, which is as follows: Edward Waymack, catcher; "Buck" Franklin, first-base; "Red" Crockett, second-base; W. H. Washington, third-base; Morton Graves, short-stop; Marshall Jones, pitcher; Samuel Patterson, left-field; Fred J. Gilpin, center-field, and H. Beattie, right-field. This team will play teams from Richmond and Petersburg today.

### To Repeat Music.

The choir of the Sacred Heart Church on Sunday morning will repeat the mass which was sung on Easter Sunday. Fifteen ladies from Richmond will assist the choir.

Father Coleman, the pastor of the church, who has been in Fredericksburg for several days, returned to the city yesterday.

### Personals and Briefs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Woodall have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anne Bourne, to Mr. Edward Coghill, the wedding to take place at the First Presbyterian Church on the 18th of April, at 7 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. R. W. Criffin will preach at Clifton Street Baptist Church at both services to-morrow.

The Easter egg hunt, which was postponed on account of the weather, will be held Monday afternoon, under the auspices of the Juniors of Central M. E. Church, at the home of Mrs. Schaudt, 1210 Porter Street.

The G. H. C. Club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the residence of Miss Louise Reams on Porter Street.

Isabelle Moseley, the daughter of B. C. Moseley, of 118 East Tenth Street, died with a painful accident yesterday. She fell down the steps and broke her collar-bone. Dr. Hill was called in, and attended her. The little girl is getting along nicely.

The Archer homestead, located at the corner of Ninth and Stockton Streets, was sold by Mr. William C. Archer. The sale was made by A. L. Anderson, and the purchase price was \$10,000.

Harry Service Entwistle, of Alexandria, and Miss Cecelia Waymack were



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married this week in Rockville, Md. Cordis has been leased for the wedding of Mr. Alexander Marshall and Miss Mamie Niblett. The ceremony will take place next Wednesday evening in the parlor of Rev. F. B. McSparran, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church.

The infant daughter of W. S. Toler is ill at his home on Decatur Street. Mr. E. P. Nunnally is confined to his home on account of sickness. Miss Lella Williams, of Double Bridge, is visiting Miss May Handley, of Bainbridge Street. There was before the Mayor yesterday, charged with fast riding. He was fined \$2.50 and costs.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Academy-Matinee and Night—"The Yankee Consul."

Postoffice-Wild Animal Show.

Idewood-Skating Rink.

### Miss Thurston Is Herself.

Miss Adelaide Thurston has a large number of friends and admirers in Richmond, and most of them were at the Academy last evening to see her in a new play, Miss Thurston is a petite and charming actress of somewhat limited ability, but undeniably a comedienne. The word "cute" would fit her about as well as any other adjective, and her picturesque appearance in a sailor's costume elicited numerous "ohs" and "ahs" from the feminine auditors.

"The Girl From Out Yonder" is one of the crudest of melodramas, depicting life on the coast. It possesses every feature of this class of play, save that without which it seemed like a drama of the plains minus a gun. Miss Thurston invests the titular role with an ingenuous girlishness, and were it not for the peculiar knack she has of making any role she plays seem thoroughly congenial, the play would have been a dismal failure. Her manager seems bent on surrounding her with the most commonplace actors that can be found, and apparently without reason, for she is certainly deserving of far better support than is afforded by the seven or eight who are associated with her this season. No fault could be found with the staging of the production. Next season should find this capable young woman doing better things, or, if not, let her return to "Polly Primrose."

When "The Yankee Consul" was first produced at the Broadway Theatre, New York, the magnificence of the gown worn by the members of the chorus aroused widespread comment. Those original costumes have outlived their usefulness, but Manager John P. Slocum has provided exact duplicates of them, which will give the young ladies of Richmond some novel ideas in the methods of Parisian meditates. The Consul will be at the Academy to-day, matinee and night.

Commenting upon James O'Neill's farewell tour in "Monte Christo," which will be presented at the Academy next Saturday, the New York Herald has recently had the following to say:

"This is supposed to be Mr. O'Neill's farewell appearance in this role, and this is to be regretted. The popularity of the play and the excellence of Mr. O'Neill's performance are a good reason for a public demand that, like Madame Patti, Mr. O'Neill make several farewell tours."

### U. of Va. Banquet Committee.

The University of Virginia banquet committee will meet at the Westmoreland Club this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The committee is composed of Messrs. Allen Pettus, C. O. McCabe, S. B. Buford, Jonathan Bryan and Archer Anderson.

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Mr. Larkin, when asked concerning the marriage, said that he had no previous knowledge of Mr. Kemp's intention to marry. Numbers of the Kemp family in New York were likewise in ignorance of the marriage, and said they knew absolutely nothing of the bride or her family.

Mr. Kemp is a son of the late George Kemp, who was a member of the extensive drug firm of Lauman & Kemp, and the owner of the Buckingham Hotel and considerable other property in the neighborhood.

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## PEACE CONFERENCE AT CARNEGIE HOME

Millionaires and Laboring Men Meet to Discuss Industrial Peace.

### AUGUST BELMONT PRESIDENT

William F. Coakley Spoke from the Standpoint of Labor and Trade Agreement.

NEW YORK, April 5.—There was a unique and notable gathering to-night at the East Ninety-first Street home of Andrew Carnegie, where several hundred persons identified with or otherwise interested in affairs industrial had responded to an invitation to spend what the host termed a "peace evening."

The affair was arranged by the officers of the National Civic Federation, and was intended as a forerunner of the peace conference in this city next week.

The guests, who included representatives of the labor organizations, men of wealth, and men and women who for the sake of the cause, have concerned themselves with labor problems, were received by Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie.

The speech-making, which was begun by Mr. Carnegie, was in the great hall of the house, August Belmont, president of the Civic Federation, explained the purpose of the meeting to be "an informal talk that we may better understand each other."

He then introduced William F. Coakley, president of the International Protective Association of Lithographic Apprentices and Press Feeders. Mr. Coakley said in part:

"Industrial peace could never exist without a trade agreement. The trade agreement, if accepted by both employer and employee in a proper spirit, will lead to greater things. We have been striving for peace, and will continue to strive until we accomplish our object."

Archbishop Farley followed in a brief address.

## WILL GIVE MEN WEEK TO RETURN

Master Painters Announce That They Will Employ Non-Union Labor After That.

The Master Painters' Association is still holding out against the middle-class striking journeymen, and the members have vowed themselves as being determined not to recede an inch from their present determination. There are sixteen or eighteen firms in the city who control the greater part of the business, and none of these firms has acceded to the demands of the strikers, and said one of the most prominent among them last night, they will be positive in their refusal to agree with the demand for a closed shop, which means that the position which the strikers are most insistent upon.

The majority of the master painters have agreed to give their men a week in which to return or give up their jobs, and they are holding their positions vacant until the end of that time. At the end of the week, if the strikers are still out, non-union labor will be taken in.

The three shops which were reported yesterday afternoon to have signed a paper agreeing to all the demands of the strikers are said to be small concerns, employing about one helper apiece.

First Vice-President Hadrie, of New York, is here in charge of the strike, which is being conducted now by a board composed of Mr. Hadrie, O'ganizer Sullivan and President Norman Napier, of the local union.

There are about 100 men out on the strike, but the contractors claim that they can easily fill their places if they definitely refuse to return to work.

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much of his time in Europe, and his little daughter has been with her aunt, Miss Marion Kemp, who has for several years been living in Rome.

Mr. Kemp is well known in Virginia, where he has often visited. He spent several seasons at the "White."

## TRAIN CREW ALL ILL. CONDUCTOR RUNS TRAIN

COLUMBUS, GA., April 5.—The Central of Georgia Railway passenger train from Andalusia, Ala., due in Columbus at noon to-day, arrived an hour late with Captain E. T. Davis, conductor at the throttle. The crew of the train ate breakfast this morning at Brantley, Ala., and all except Captain Davis became seriously ill. The engineer's condition finally became such that at Columbus, Ala., Captain Davis, who was formerly an engineer, took charge of the engine. At each station he stopped the train long enough to collect fares. Physicians met the train at the depot and took charge of the sick men. While seriously ill, they will recover.

## TO TAKE CONSTANTINE TO CHICAGO NEXT WEEK

NEW YORK, April 5.—Frank J. Constantine, who is wanted in Chicago on a charge of murder, will leave for Gentry January 6, 1906, was arraigned in court in Brooklyn to-day and remanded to jail to await requisition papers, which Detective John H. Sheehan has gone to Albany to secure. The Chicago officers are anxious to start for Chicago early next week.

## BROWNVILLE RESTS QUIET UNTIL MAY

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The Senate Committee on Military Affairs, which is making an investigation of the Brownsville affair, agreed to-day to take a recess of thirty days, the middle of May. It is not thought likely that the committee will go to Brownsville until fall. It is not now intended to examine witnesses at any other place except Washington.

## INSANE VETERAN KILLS COMRADES WHILE ASLEEP

DAYTON, OHIO, April 5.—William H. Huffman, a veteran of the Civil War, ran amok at the Soldiers' Home last night and stabbed five veterans while they were asleep. Huffman thought the wounded men were plotting to kill him. The guards had a terrible struggle before they overpowered Huffman. The soldiers stabbed are David Cule, James Connors, John Gavin, Edward Smith and John Daugherty. The first two are in a critical condition.

### Postal News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, D. C., April 5.—Virginia postmasters appointed—Bryant, Nelson county, James W. Harvey, vice J. R. Higginbotham, resigned; Gray'sville, Floyd county, John W. Nichols, vice L. Clingen Pool, resigned; Old Town, Grayson county, Alexander R. Gribb, vice L. F. Leath, resigned. A post-office has been established at Marl Springs, Surry county, Va., with Harry T. Rogers postmaster.

### Duke of Newcastle in Norfolk.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., April 6.—The Duke of Newcastle, England, and a party of friends arrived in Norfolk from Richmond to-night. The Duke is traveling for pleasure, and will leave Norfolk to-morrow. Those accompanying him are Miss Lister Kays, of England; Mr. and Mrs. Haley Fiske and Miss Fiske, of New York; S. M. Burbank, of New York, and Dr. A. S. Knight, of New York.



IAN MACLAREN.

The Rev. John Watson, D. D., is so well known as a novelist under his pen name of Ian Maclaren that his personality as a serious and learned minister of the Gospel came as something of a surprise to the general public when first it was revealed.

He is English by birth, for he first saw the light at Manningtree, in Essex—a village known and celebrated in Shakespeare's time for its good character, but he is Scotch by descent and predilection.

He was educated at St. Andrew's University—the oldest British university in existence—and afterward at Yale, taking degrees at both places. He also took the M. A. degree at Edinburgh.

He was Lyman Beecher lecturer at Yale in 1878, and since 1880 has been minister of the Presbyterian Church at Sefton Park, Liverpool, and is now, in addition, Moderator of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of England.

Ian Maclaren's first book and great success was "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush," and this was followed by "Kate Carnegie." After this came "A Doctor of the House," "The Young Barber," "The Rabbi Sanderson," "His Majesty the Baby," "The Upper Room," "The Mind of the Master," "The Potter's Wheel," and various magazine sketches.

Dr. Watson has also written religious and theological works, among them "Doctrines of Grace" and "The Life of the Master."

Dr. Watson, without saying that, though the revelation of the identity of the Presbyterian minister in the successful novelist was a surprise, it was in no sense a shock, even to the most devoted of his congregation and fellow religiousists, since from beginning to end of Ian Maclaren's works there is nothing which is not to the credit of John Watson.

Dr. Maclaren has resigned from his church work. Previous to his departure for Egypt a dinner and reception was tendered to him by the Lord Mayor and citizens of Liverpool, and a very substantial purse was presented by his congregation in recognition of his years' faithful service.

Before writing his new novel for the Authors and Newspapers' Association he said: "Religion will play no part in my new story, nor will there be any dialect word mentioned. My idea is a historical romance in which the central figure will be one who has never been portrayed in his private character."

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## BONILLA NOT YET DEFEATED

Has Massed the Combined Armies of Salvador and Honduras on Frontier.

### HOLD ALL LARGE SEAPORTS

Has Established His New Capital at Comayagua and Gathered Generals Around Him.

PUERTO RARRIOS, GUATEMALA, April 5.—After the battle of Naranjo, in which the forces of Honduras were defeated by the Nicaraguans, President Bonilla withdrew and occupied Amapala, which place he fortified and defended by a strong force of Hondurans.

Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, was considerably weakened by forces being sent to Generals Barahona and Christmas, who were defeated after eight days' fighting at Namasique, and a mutiny occurred in the garrison at the capital. President Bonilla sent instructions from Amapala authorizing General Saturnino Medel to evacuate Tegucigalpa. He was unable to defend it, and save the city from bombardment and looting. The city was evacuated.

The forces of President Bonilla and General Medel are now uniting with the army of President Figuerero, of Salvador, on the frontier, where the combined armies are being massed for continuing the war. General Solomon Ordonez, of Honduras, Minister of War, arrived at Puerto Cortez to-day, and has taken command of the coast defenses.

President Bonilla's forces occupy all the cities and towns on the north coast of Honduras, except Trujillo, and the principal ports of the republic, Amapala and Puerto Cortez. The Honduran forces also occupy the railroad and the important cities west of Comayagua, containing the principal fighting population of Honduras. President Bonilla's line of defense extends from Amapala along the frontier of Salvador, thence north to San Pedro de las Flores, and thence to the Gulf of Fonseca, in order to be near the probable scene of war developments.

President Bonilla has established governmental headquarters at Amapala.

The Salvadorean frontiers are protected by a large army. The bombardment of Amapala by Nicaraguan steamers only damaged the tower of one church. The United States cruiser Chicago, anchored off Amapala, has received orders from Washington to leave in the direction of the Gulf of Fonseca, in order to be near the probable scene of war developments.

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### SEVEN KILLED IN RAILWAY WRECK

VERA CRUZ, MEX., April 5.—In a collision between two freight trains on the Mexican Railway (old Vera Cruz road) yesterday seven men lost their lives and the traffic was blocked for eleven hours. Several persons were injured. The cause of the wreck is not known. The dead include both engineers, Americans. The others were Mexican trainmen.



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## CLAY WARD ALSO WANTS A MEMBER

Not Represented on Committee to Apportion Expenditures in Annexed Territory.

There is some talk in the nature of a protest from Clay Ward Councilmen against the ward selection of members of the new joint committee on Apportionment of Expenditures in the Annexed Territory. It so happens that in making up this committee neither president of the two branches of the Council chose a member from Clay Ward. Yet a large proportion of the new area added to the city will be embraced within the bounds of Clay Ward. The president of the Board of Aldermen had the choice of three members of the committee, and President Peters, of the Common Council, selected four. Naturally, each official made his own selections without regard to those made by the other, and when the joint membership was made known it turns out that not one of the seven members resides in Clay Ward.

As the committee will have the recommendation of apportionment of funds to be expended in the entire annexed territory, it is contended by some that it is not only not material, but not even desirable that the committee should be composed of men from the wards enlarged.

It is reliably stated that the presidents, in choosing the make-up of the joint committee, made their selections with a view only to the interests of the entire city. It is a fact that the

### SHOOT PEACEMAKER; INJURIES PROBABLY FATAL

LOVINGSTON, VA., April 5.—Henry Clements had an altercation to-day with the Southern Railway agent at Rockfish, Va. John Carroll, interned, and Clements, who was drinking, shot Carroll near the heart. The injury is thought will be fatal. Clements was arrested and is in jail here.

### In Memory of Dr. Winfree.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] The faculty of the University College of Medicine met Thursday night and passed suitable resolutions on the death of Dr. John M. Winfree. Dr. Winfree was for a number of years lecturer on gynecology at the University College of Medicine.

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